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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 43rd Saturday in October 1928.

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1928: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
													Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE	Bangalore City & Taluk	1	35	0	31	30	02	29	10	+0	92				
	Hoskote ...	0	26	0	23	15	87	27	72	—11	85				
	Doddballapur ...	0	69	0	54	28	71	30	60	—1	89	Rice, 2nd sort.	5'0	5'0	7'0
	Nelamangala ...	1	14	0	36	30	39	25	85	+4	54				
	Kankanhalli ..	1	00	0	29	21	21	27	89	—6	68	Ragi	8'0	8'0	9'50
	Magadi ...	3	15	0	38	29	98	31	17	—1	19				
	Channapatna ...	0	93	0	30	21	84	30	99	—9	15	Kulthi	7'0	7'0	9'0
	Anekal ..	1	86	0	21	25	32	28	22	—2	90				
	Devanhalli ..	2	2	0	49	22	60	26	17	—3	57	Kadale	5'0	5'0	6'0
	Closepet ...	0	00	0	17	23	92	32	88	—8	96				
	District average ...	1	24	0	33	24	98	29	06	—4	7				
KOLAR	Kolar ...	6	13	0	47	27	72	19	32	+8	40				
	Bowringpet ..	1	10	0	59	21	92	20	16	+1	76				
	Chintamani ..	2	94	0	50	21	51	19	68	+1	83	Rice, 2nd sort.	4'8	4'8	5'0
	Mulbagal ...	2	60	0	92	22	95	21	09	+1	66				
	Sidlaghatta ...	2	87	0	63	19	57	21	00	—1	43	Ragi	8'0	8'0	8'12
	Chikballapur ...	2	39	0	42	24	24	23	59	+0	65				
	Bagepalli ...	2	09	0	51	26	16	21	88	+4	28	Kulthi	7'0	7'0	8'0
	Goribidnur ...	1	96	0	58	21	47	19	26	+2	21				
	Malur ...	0	20	0	77	26	33	20	49	+5	84	Kadale	5'0	5'0	5'0
	Srinivaspur ..	2	56	0	48	17	44	20	97	—3	53				
	Gudibanda ...	1	70	0	61	25	91	22	20	+3	71				
	District average ...	2	60	0	59	23	20	20	87	+2	33				
TUMKUR	Tumkur ...	0	33	0	95	32	03	23	12	8	91				
	Madhugiri ...	1	68	1	46	22	96	21	05	1	91				
	Chiknayakanhalli ..	1	30	0	94	27	44	20	45	6	99	Rice, 2nd sort.	4'8	4'12	4'8
	Sira ...	0	00	1	26	14	96	15	23	—0	27				
	Gubbi ...	1	70	0	58	35	68	17	71	17	97	Ragi	9'0	9'0	9'0
	Tiptur ...	1	86	0	66	20	12	16	59	3	53				
	Pavagada ..	1	67	2	18	20	02	14	66	5	36	Kulthi	7'0	6'0	6'8
	Kunigal ..	2	30	1	05	25	39	22	65	2	74				
	Koratagere ...	1	66	1	47	18	36	20	04	—1	68	Kadale	5'0	5'8	5'4
	Turuvekere ...	1	72	0	99	25	95	18	94	7	01				
	District average ...	1	42	1	15	24	29	19	05	5	24				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1928							
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
MYSORE												
Mysore ...	3	25	0	93	22	79	20	77	+2	02		
Chamrajnagar ..	4	11	1	05	16	24	19	37	—3	13		
Seringapatam ..	1	37	0	75	20	96	18	74	+2	22		
Hunsur ..	3	12	0	90	22	09	23	85	—1	76		
Yedatore ..	2	77	0	77	22	38	19	82	+2	56	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Heggaddevankote ..	3	57	0	72	32	89	27	70	+5	19		
Gundlupet ...	3	10	1	14	20	54	23	54	—3	00	Ragi	
Nanjangud ..	3	90	1	24	26	07	22	31	+3	76		
T.-Narsipur ...	0	98	1	00	25	41	20	60	+4	81	Kulthi	
Malvalli ..	0	37	0	63	19	19	18	66	+0	53		
Mandya ..	2	25	0	91	19	82	19	96	—0	14	Kadale	
Krishnarajpete ...	1	54	0	68	21	43	21	17	+0	26		
Nagamangala ..	1	01	1	12	19	33	20	73	—1	40		
District average ..	2	41	0	91	22	24	21	32	+0	92		
HASSAN												
Hassan ...	1	85	0	80	21	90	23	97	—2	07		
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	2	57	0	45	68	80	84	34	+4	46	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Arkalgud ..	1	70	0	59	28	30	34	90	—6	60		
Belur ..	1	12	0	59	26	21	32	83	—6	62	Ragi	
Channarayapatna ...	0	52	0	67	23	76	20	93	+2	83		
Arsikere ...	1	61	0	57	25	91	18	78	+7	13	Kulthi	
Hole-Narsipur ...	1	57	0	65	22	13	20	44	+1	69		
Alur ..	2	24	0	67	30	46	33	17	—2	71	Kadale	
District average ...	1	65	0	62	33	44	33	67	—0	23		
SHIMOGA												
Shimoga ...	1	99	0	79	27	77	26	42	+1	35		
Channagiri ...	2	45	0	67	25	08	22	40	+2	68		
Honnali ...	2	15	0	83	17	31	18	68	—1	17	Rice 2nd sort.	
Shikarpur ..	0	25	0	63	29	89	28	23	+1	66		
Sorab ...	1	32	1	30	49	30	51	16	—1	86	Ragi	
Sagar ...	0	74	1	49	61	97	78	22	—16	25		
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	1	85	0	94	88	19	99	04	—10	85	Kulthi	
Tirthahalli ...	1	63	0	92	95	31	115	40	—20	09		
Kumsi ...	0	80	0	73	32	62	36	34	—3	72		
District average ...	1	46	0	93	47	49	52	85	—5	36		
KADUR												
Chikmagalur ...	1	33	0	39	21	90	25	89	—3	99		
Kadur ...	4	11	0	41	23	60	15	62	+7	78	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Tarikere ...	1	68	0	46	29	85	29	73	+0	12		
Koppa ..	2	05	1	01	81	47	111	81	—30	34	Ragi	
Mudgere ...	2	21	0	80	72	71	87	41	—14	70		
Narasimharajapura ...	1	85	0	60	61	71	72	97	—21	26	Kulthi	
Sringeri ...	3	07	1	27	118	42	150	65	—32	23	Kadale	
District average ..	2	36	0	71	57	09	70	58	—13	49		
CHITALDRUG												
Chitaldrug ...	1	17	1	00	24	94	17	88	+7	06		
Challakere ...	0	95	1	00	11	26	12	59	—1	33	Rice, 2nd sort.	
Hiriyur ...	1	43	1	26	13	54	14	82	—1	28		
Holalkere ...	0	94	1	27	22	59	19	24	+3	35	Ragi	
Davangere ...	3	41	1	07	24	26	19	58	+4	68	Kulthi	
Molakalmuru ..	0	15	0	61	16	21	16	88	—0	67	Cholum	
Jagalur ..	1	36	1	72	17	78	19	02	—1	24	Kadale	
Hosdurga ..	1	49	1	12	15	77	16	87	—1	04		
Harihar ...	1	18	1	39	13	73	15	64	—1	91		
District average ..	1	34	1	16	17	78	16	94	+0	84		
Provincial average ..	1	81	0	80	31	31	33	04	—1	73		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·0	5·0	6·0
Ragi	8·0	8·0	9·0
Kulthi	6·0	6·0	9·0
Kadale	4·12	4·12	6·0
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·0	5·0	5·0
Ragi	10·0	10·0	9·0
Kulthi	6·0	6·0	6·0
Kadale	5·0	5·0	5·0
Rice 2nd sort.	5·0	5·0	4·85
Ragi	10·0	10·0	9·07
Kulthi	5·8	5·8	6·70
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·0	5·0	5·0
Ragi	10·0	9·0	10·0
Kulthi	6·0	6·8	6·0
Kadale	6·0	7·0	6·0
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·0	5·0	5·0
Ragi	10·0	10·0	12·0
Kulthi	8·0	7·8	8·0
Cholum	10·0	10·0	12·0
Kadale	5·0	5·0	5·0

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana
Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichios Biflorus
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare
Kadle—(Bengal gram)Cicer Ariotinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of peoples under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9 *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, avare, horse gram and togari are reported to be in good condition. In four villages of Tubagere Hobli in the Dodballapur Taluk, ragi is reported to be ready for harvest.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for the prevalence of Naradi and Chapperoga in parts of Bangalore, Anekal and Dodballapur Taluks.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Ploughing operations.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Such as, ragi, avare, togari, paddy and sugar-cane are in good condition. Dry crops are vastly improving owing to recent rains.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Groundnuts and same are being harvested in some parts of Chikballapur Taluk and irrigated ragi and sajje in Kasba and Gulur Hoblies of Bagepalli Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains stationery. Labour available.

11. Except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in Bagepalli Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to be attending to the inoculation work of the cattle in the Villages.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Horse gram in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Irrigated ragi in parts of Madhugiri and Koratagere Sub-Taluk and navane in Madhugiri Taluk. Til and jolam in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, jolam, groundnut in all parts of the district. Paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, Sira and Tiptur and Koratagere Sub-Taluk. Groundnut in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Except for prevalence of Rinderpest in parts of Tumkur Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy in all the other parts of the district.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, tadaguni, til, togari, ramtil, sugar-cane, jola, horse gram, castor, coriander, chillies, cotton, same groundnut, black and green grams are reported to be in generally good condition.

Seeds sown.—Horse gram, jola, kadale, coriander in parts of Chamrajnagar and hosre gram in parts of Nagamangala Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Fair.

11. (1) Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in Ballekere and Lingapura villages of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to, to take necesary preventive measures.

(2) Water and fodder are available.